

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.**

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2005**, upon the application of **HILLIARD PETROLEUM, INC.**

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **FW-NB Zone, Reservoir A**, in the Iowa Field, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana.

1. To dissolve the unit created for the FX-NB Zone by Office of Conservation Order No. 39-U, effective January 11, 2005, and simultaneously therewith, to create a single drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of oil and gas from the FW-NB Zone, Reservoir A.
2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the unit so created.
3. To designate a unit operator and a unit well for the unit so created.
4. To provide that any future wells drilled to the FW-NB Zone, Reservoir A, should be exempt from the spacing provisions of Statewide Order No. 29-E.
5. To provide that the Commissioner may reclassify the FW-NB Zone, Reservoir A, by supplemental order and without the necessity of a public hearing should such reclassification be warranted, based on evidence furnished the Commissioner.
6. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The FW-NB Zone, Reservoir A, is hereby defined as being that oil and gas bearing zone encountered between the depths of 10,206' and 10,900' (electrical log measured depths) in the Hilliard Petroleum, Inc. - Derouen No. 1 Well (SN 231003), located in Section 24, Township 9 South, Range 7 West, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge and Lafayette**, Louisiana.

[www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm](http://www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm).

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

**BY ORDER OF:**

**JAMES H. WELSH**  
**COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION**

Baton Rouge, La

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